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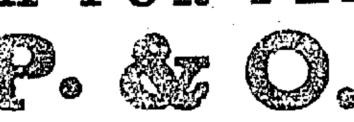
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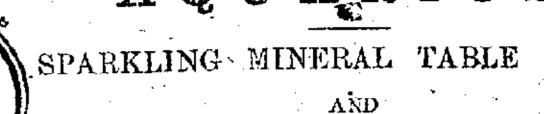
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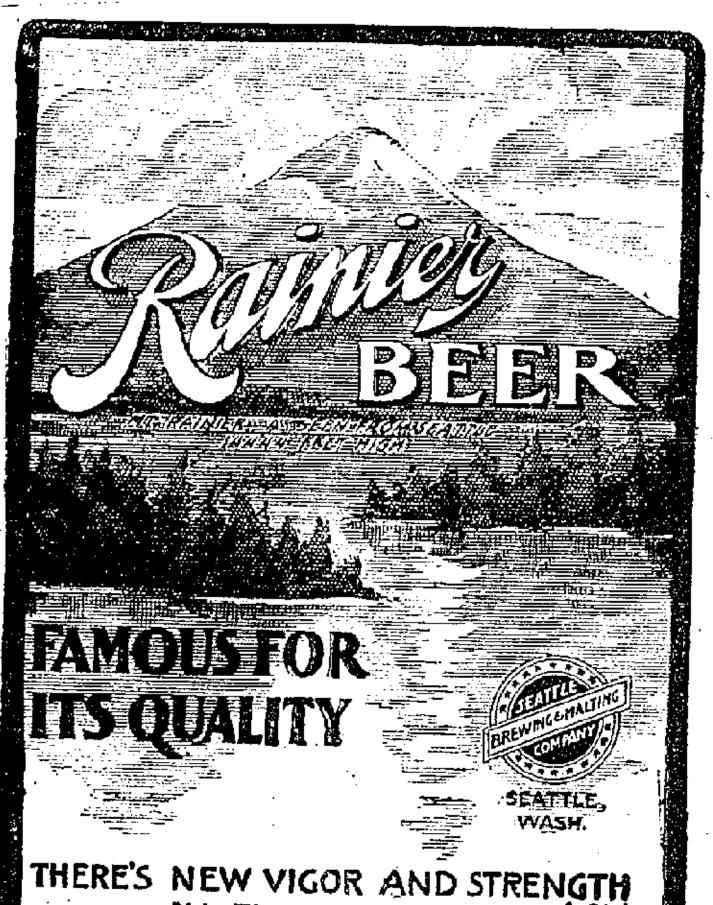
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EDWARD OSBORNE. Secretary Hongkong, May 10, 1992.



MEETING of HIS MAJESTY'S $oldsymbol{A}$ -JUSTICES of the PEACE will be. held at the Magistracy, at 2.30 p.m., on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of May, 1902, for the purpose of considering the following applications :

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THE HEALTH OF SINGAPORE.

While it is very undesirable to lend support to any movement of the nature of a panie, the present state of the public health of Singapore is one that calls for serious consideration. The death rate in the Municipality for last year was 45.25 per mille, and the number of deaths 9,388, an increase of 550 over the preceding year. The report of the Municipal President

"The high death rate is due to the excessive mortality amongst infants, principally from pulmonary affections, amongst Chinese adults (between theages of 25 and 45) of the coolies class. Most of these were probably 'rikisha coolies, the cause of death being due to rexposure, improper clothing and over crowded dwellings."

Sixteen deaths were due to plague, upon which low number we are to be congratulated. There were 133 cases of cholera, with the high total of 121 deaths, this excessive number of cases being supposed to be a legacy of the outbreak which occurred in the Lunatic Asylum in Nev. 1900, and was not stopped in town till March last year. It is a matter of much concern that 52 deaths from the same cause occurred the week before last in Singapore, that and fover bringing the death rate to an the 20th May, 1902, at 2,30 p.m., at his abnormal 79.19 per mille, and, if report Property of a Gentleman leaving the speaks anything like truth, the mortality from the same causes last week will also prove to be a surprise. Still more disconcerting, because after all cholera and plague are not so difficult to stamp out under ordinary circumstances, was the mortality from enteric fovor, 112 cases occurring with 49 deaths, and the Health Officer being of opinion that there are a good many cases of ill-defined enteric fever in the town which escape detection and are not returned as such.' The fatal fever cases for the week ended April 26 numbered 93. It is probable that many of Silven Spoons, Forks, Lapines, Bowls, I these cases may include deaths in which CARD STAND, CHAR CASES, HANDLES, &c. | phthisis and other long complaints were the original cause of illness, Tayer being the determining cause of death. There is a large amount of phthisis and consumption in 1065 town, possibly due to the high water level of the subsoil and the moistness of the climate, or possibly to the prevalence of dust. With our escape from anything like an epidemic of plague or small-pox, the high death rate of last year, and the apparent continuance on in this year, gives, as we have said, serious matter for concern, The Municipal Commissioners are working hard at the improvement of the watersupply, and have many irons in the fire for the general improvement of the Town. It must not be forgotten that a primary object of municipal government is the improvement of the health of the town-an object Room Surre, Blackwood and Manute-roe which the figures of recent years do not

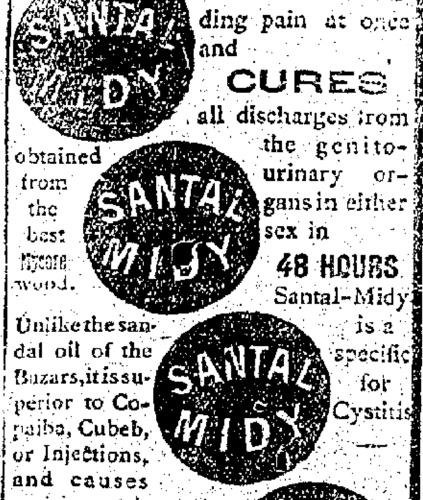
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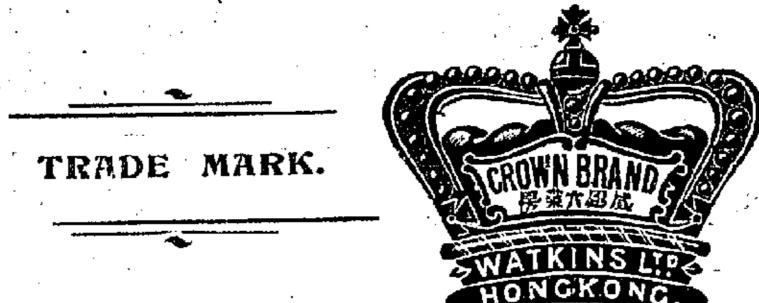


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India and the Tea Coss. Calcutta, May 3 .-- The signatories to the memorial to the Viceroy, for the Tea Cess, now represent 410,690 acres, about 80 per cent. of the total area under tea. An enconvaging feature of the recent signatories is the number of native-owned gardens.

Indian Toa Exports. The exports of tea from Calcutta to the Argona

United Kingdom, according to the Castoms-house figures for the second half of April were 220,218 lbs.: last year 112,134; total April, 641,296 lbs. against 195,555 Cherub last year. The Tea Crop in India.

The following telegraphic reference to the tea crop in the various districts less been despatched by the Indian Ten Association here to the Association in London; Assam ; outturn last month poor, weather very wet, immediate prospects fair; Dooms, Terki; outturn last month about normal. erop and prospects generally favourable; Darjeoling: outturn last month about normal, been storms with hail, sovere damage generally. The Association has received no information from Cachar and Sylhet.

Cecil Rhodes' Sayings.

Here are a few of the sayings, apparently from the context unpremeditated, of the late Cecil Rhodes before the Jame- Rinal son Raid Commission :-

Governments spend their whole time in making conventions and in tearing them Saipe ap again. Protection is a system by which you Talbo

erente had factories and manufacture had Tame articles. I have noticed in my life that humanity

is more or less affected by its pocket. You can have no body of Englishmen in Waterwitch any place for any period with those men Wivern insisting on their civil rights.

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Cherub	į	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	11	9600
Eclipse	;	cruiser, 1st class	7350	12	10,090
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*Glory	1	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500
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Hamber	:	cruiser, 2nd class	3600	16	9000
Iphigenia	:	terpede boat destroyer	280	6	3900
Janus	1	river gunboat	_	. 4	·
Kinsha		river gumboat	180	2	800
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'Star' Ferry Co., Ltd., at the Com-2.30 n.m.-Meeting of H.M.'s Justices of the Pence. 2.30 p.m. -- Auction of Household Furni ture, at the Residence of Mr E. Hohnke, Smith Villa, East Magazine Gap.

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The inchlication of this issue commenced at 1.30 p.so.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, MAY 19, 1902.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The public will learn with HON. T. H. regret that the Hon. T. WHITEHEAD. H. Whitehead has receiv-

ed instructions to proceed

Mr Whitehead proceeds home via among the regular Bangkok liners. America, leaving Hongkong early next month. It is not known, of course, how long his services may be required in Landon, but we understand that his transfer to the Head Office in Londor was not altegether unforeseen. Should it happen that Mr Whitchead does not return to Hongkong his loss to the Colony will be a serious one. No one has more courageously upheld public interests in the Legislative Council, and appointed to the Chamber of Commerce that, too, in the face of many discourage. Committee at Shanghai :- Messrs H. M. ments, chief among which was the lack | Bevis, L. Bridon, C. Brodersen, W. Droseof support from his Unofficial colleagues. He has also taken a prominent part in the affairs of the Chamber of Commerce, the China Association and other public bodies, and with unsurpassed energy has served the public in many other ways without neglecting the interests of the great

lency the Officer Administering the Go- that St. Xavier's has won since 1898. vernment at the Coronation Celebrations and to second the congratulatory telegram to be sent to Their Majesties Council on behalf of the community. In view of the fact that fresh legislation of an important character is in contemplation, it is particularly to be regretted that Mr Whitehead should be withdrawn from Hongkong at present. The most comforting thought, in the

the King and Queen by the Legislative Itallick, commanding the Hongkong Regicircumstances, is that, in London, Mr | while such men as have not completed their Whitehead may be an even greater force for the benefit of the China trade and Hongkong than he has been during affected, besides Colonel Retallick, and his many years' residence in the Colony.

Where Most Rain Falls,

great difference in the rainfall in different when they accepted service. parts of the United Kingdom. The driest part of the whole kingdom is the district stretching from the Humber to Cambridge, over which district the average yearly rainfall is under 25 inches. The driest part of Scotland is the area bounded by the Forth and Tweed, the yearly rainfall along the coast between these two rivers never exceeding 30 inches. The Tressachs district (says the 'People's Friend' is the weltest part of Scotland, the average yearly rainfall being nearly 80 inches; but this is exceeded in the Lake district of England, where the yearly rainfall average 100 inches. At Southwaite BLEND, the annual rainfall averages 135 inches, while at Stye, only two miles off, the average rises to 170 inches. Stye holds the record for the largest rainfall in the kingdom in one year, 244 inches being recorded in 1872. The wettest district in the world is believed to be that in the neighborhood of the Khasi Hills, in As sam. The world's record for the greatest fall in one hour is held by a town it California, 11 inches being recorded during a thunderstorm.

Ir each person knew what he was going to WHISKY is a Blend of the Finest say before he started to talk there would be less talk, and what there was would be worth listening to.

> had best be corrected, for their sake, because of the more near to perfection it makes satisfaction it gives to help some one who is weaker, at least in one thing, than we,

DIARRHŒA I'S more to be dreaded than diphtheria. resulting from diarrhoea is due to the lack of proper treatment at the first stages of the disease. Chamberlain's Colic, Choler and Diarrhoea Remedy is a reliable and effective medicine, and if given in time will prevent serious consequences. The remedy never fails and is pleasant to take. Every household should have a bottle at hand.

Notes by the Way. Mails from St Petersburg reach Port

Arthur in 11 or 15 days. On receipt of the news at Shanghai of the Martinique disaster, all the Consular flags were half-masted.

Mr Byron Brenan, C.M.G., arrived at Shanghai the other day in connection with the British and China Corporation.

The rebellion in Venezuela is assuming a more and more alarming character. The rebels are advancing everywhere.

By defeating Bury by 3 goals to nil, Sunderland wins the championship of the English Football League. This is the fourth time Sunderland has won, besides heing runners-up on three occasions.

The Boughol: Times says :- We underto London as speedily as possible to act, stand that the as Borneo will not be seen temporarily, as London Manager of the in Bangkas again for a few months, as she | The Abolition of Likin. Chartered Bank of India, Australia and has been chartered and is now on a run in China, in consequence of the continued the Straits. With the Hadan also charterillness of the Manager, Mr AV A Main, ed but, that leaves only two British boats

China Tea Duty Reduced.

A notification was published at Shanghai, on the 13th inst., by order of the Inspector General of the LM. Customs, that the export duty on ten will shortly be reduced to five per cent ad valorem, approxi-

Shanghai Chamber of Commerce.

The following gentleman have been meier, C. J. Dudgeon, J. S. Fearon, R. Inglis, A. Korff, H. R. Kinnear, W. D. Little, A. M. Marshall, A. Wright.

Queen's Scholarships.

We learn from our Penang contemporary that the Queen's Scholarships for the Straits Settlements for the current year have been won by Chinese boys, the banking institution with which he is first by Tan Seng Suan, of St. Xavier's connected. It is especially to be re- Institute, and the second by KohlKheng gretted that Mr Whitehead leaves so | Seng, of the Free School. This is the third soon, as, we believe, he was to have pre- Queen's Scholarship, which enables the sented the public address to His Excel- | winner to study at a British University,

The Hongkong Regiment.

The World says :- Lieut.-Colonel Rehad been informed when the mail left Chine that his battalion was to be disbanded. It was raised ten years ago from among the natives of Upper India to do duty at Hongkong, and has been brought to a high standard of efficiency. The officers, who are all drawn from the Indian Staff Corps, will return to native regiments terms of service will be absorbed into the Native Army. The officers who will be Captains Berger, Roweroft, Anderson, and Campbell, and Lieutenants Moberly, Barrett, and Wallace. For these, however, the disappointment will not be so great as, On scanning the yearly reports of the it would have been had they not been Meteorological Society one is struck by the placed on the Seconded List of their units

Barnes' Entertainers. The programme submitted at the Theatre Royal on Saturday night by Barnes' Twentieth Century Entertainers got a remarkably good reception from a full house. The ever-green comedian Harry Gray was again equal to the occasion as a funny man and was vociferously applauded. He is one of the kind that an audience does not tire of. Madame Freed was in excellent voice and charmed her audience. The illustrated songs of Miss Rosa Barnes were much appreciated, and Miss Florence Adelaide, the sprightly singer of 'The Girl in Khaki,' was applauded to the echo, and carried home a huge floral tribute from one of her admirors. The biographic pictures of the Droyfus trial were very good indeed, but the South African scenes still hold premier place in the estimation of a British audience. was intended that Saturday night's entertainment was to be a final farewell. but the success of it induced the management to change its intention, and Harry Gray's announcement that another entirely new programme, excepting the pictures, would be presented on Monday pictures, would be presented on Monday purpose to perfection. It is a liminem of wonderful healing power. One application gives rolief. Try it. For sale by All in fair salaries to himself and his employées fact that H.M.S. Terrible and two American men-of-war had entered the Harbour Specially selected. It is of great age. MISTAKES of other people which affect us induced the company to give another performance, and it is hoped that the sailors them; second, for our sake, because of the will turn out as well as the military did the other evening.

> IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD .- We have seen hosts of letters from people who have received great benefit from the use of Clarke's Blood Mixture. It cannot be too highly estimated, for It attacks all ages and is equally fatal it cleaners and clears the blood from all imto young and old. The great mortality purities.' This is a good testimonial from the Family Doctor, which goes on further to say: ' It is the finest Blood Purifier that science and skill have brought to light, and we can with the Get it to-day. It may save a life. For sale by All Dealers; Watking Ltd., General Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes.
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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Singapore Garrison.

Mr W. Adamson, C.M.G., Chairman of the Straits Settlements Association, has had an interview with the Colonial Office on the question of Singapore garrison. was informed that it was arranged that Ho Ngok Lan \$50 Singapore should in future have both British and Native Infantry, the Native troops being additional to the customary

Plague Detection.

It was stated by us, some days ago, that the doctors employed in Japan : assist the Sanitary authorities in detecting cases of plague in the Colony were handi capped in that they had little or no knowledge of the English or Chinese languages. We understand that three of the doctors are being sent back to Japan. Could not some of the Indian military doctors now in the Colony be lent by the military authori-

It is stated in native official circles (says | Swimming Race. the N.-G. Dady News) that the opposition against the abolition of Likin throughout the Empire has been so strong amongst the team race. The following teams will mandarinate—and the members can scarcely be blamed for this, as owing to the slender salaries allowed them, "surplus" likin affords the only means of reimbursing themselves for the outlay they were put to to obtain their posts that the Central Coverament at Peking has positively refused to discuss the subject at all. It is further believed in native mercantile circles, where they are, of course, naturally anxious to have the obnoxious tax abolished as soon as possible, that no matter what inducement the Foreign Powers may offer the present reactionary dovernment to make it consent to the abolition of Likin it will be abortive, unless some radical transformation happens, either through a change of the Party at the head of affairs, or one in which the Government will be placed at the mercy of some dictating I ower or Par- in succession to Major-General Sir Gerald garing description. A telegram yesterday ty. As for the dubious plea that abelition de Courcy_Morton, is best-known as the morning says that the volcano is still acof Likin would mean a rebellion in the

masses will be glad of it, and the only ones wealth through this most clastic of taxes, and their underlings who collect for them and subsist on the 'crumbs' which fall from the great man's (Ta-jen) loaf.

Business in Japan. The Kobe Chronicle of the 29th ul says :- Business still continues quiet, with little demand for money except in connection with imports of raw cotton. The money lying idle in the safes of banks has been almost absorbed by the second issue of Exchequer Bonds and the debentures just on the market by companies, and the money thus drawn out has not yet bogun to come back, Combined with export of cotton yarn is almost at a standstill on account of heavy fall in the price of silver. The circulation of money is therefore

somewhat strained, and the rate of interest remains firm. At Tokyo the demand for money is said to be very active for the sericulture districts, and the Osaka branches of the banks interested are also in want of money. The interest charged at Osaka rules at 2.4 sen per yen 100, per day, equal to 8.76 per cent. - in some cases eren 23 sen or 8.12 per cent, being charged Deposits of banks in the Clearing House at Osaka, which stood at some yer 59,000,000 at the beginning of this mouth have now fallen to about yen 55,000,000. and the advances, which stood, at yen 69,000,000, have risen to yen 71,000,000. The amount of cash hand is now under yen 4,000,000. The advances of the Bank of Japan at Osaka on Saturday last stood at yen 3,203,000 - an increase of yen 653,000 as compared with the amount at the end of the previous week. At Kobe the market remains inactive, as the tea season is not yet far enough advanced to demand supply of money. There is considerable speculation made just now in land and houses, as the value of such property has declined of late by 10 to 20 per cent. This has called for outlays by the banks, but has not resulted in any disturbance of the market. The rate of interest remains unchanged with an upward tendency.

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a person who looks deep into the whys and

past, he has handed it over to the Imperial THE Health and Vigour of an individual desend upon the quantity and quality of the Blood. When the tissues have been at work, there are thrown into the blood, waste products, and if these be not eliminated but (through any cause) detained in the blood they influence nutrition utmost confidence recommend it to our subscri- and function and finally produce organic disbers and the public generally.' For Scrofuls, ease.'-The Humanitarian. In cases of Scro-Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood | fula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases. Pimples and Sores of all kinds, its Diseases, Pimples and Sores of all kinds, the effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful effects of Clarke's Blood Mixture are marvellous. E24 less imitations and substitutes.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Alice Memorial Hospital.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Nethersola Hospitals begato acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospitals :-B. Brotherton Harker

The Dallas Company.

Apropos of Medan (writes 'Caius' in the Straits Times), the Dallas Company which arrived thence this morning say they are simply enchanted with that Dutch Settlement. Mr Dallas tells me that, with scats at \$5 and \$3 each, he simply packed | the Company joining the Dominion Governthe house for five nights, and he could have ment in the establishment of an Atlantic remained there another week with profit to steamship service as an off-set to the himself had his other arrangements permit- | Morgan combine. ted his doing so. Though much of the scintillant wit of such pieces as the Toreador | THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT IN was naturally lost on the greater part of the audiences, the performances as a whole were most enthusiastically received-especially the dances.

At Kowloon, to-morrow, at 5,39 p.m., the Victoria Recrustion Club will hold a

compete :-Station 1. Station 2. A. Humphreys (Capt) H A. Lammert (Capt) Frank Jorge J. H. Hance. J. A. Lyon F. M. Roza Periera F. K. Tata, A. J. Mackie. A. Robiero, A. M. Scares Station 3.

N. H. Alves (Capt). F. D. Bain. H. S. Kennett. A. V. Barros. * H. Rapp, W. Andrews.

A. A. Lopes,

Sir George Pretyman.

Major-General Sir George Tindal Pretyman, K.C.M.G., who has just been appointed to a first-class District in India, Military Covernor of the Orange River | tive, belching forth a hail of molten fire Empire, it is 'too transparent,' for the Colony from 1900 until February last year, and lava, so that it is still impossible to He was then succeeded by Major Goold- approach the city. dissatisfied and discontented will be those Adams. Sir George Pretyman served in numdarins who gain a living and amass the Red River expedition, and was A.D.C. to General Sir Frederick (now Lord) accompanying the cruption. Roberts in the Afghan War. He marched from Kabul to Kandahar, and was Military | ing the island of St. Vincent, as communi-Secretary afterward to Sir F. Roberts. He cations have stopped for several days, there commanded a second-class district in Bengal | being nothing but a black cloud of cinders from 1889 to 1894, and his career as a and saud to be seen. Warships are now soldier has been a distinguished one through- en route with supplies. out. Sir Gerald Morton was Adjutant-General in India from 1895 to 1899, and appears as a first-class District Commander | Vincent. at Secunderahad, on the district staff of the

Madras Command under Sir George Relief Fund will be inaugurated by the Wolseley. Last month Major-General Lord Mayor. Major-General Morton appears in the swept the city and the roads and streets.

Army List as a Major-General on the Staff, The street are paved with dead. Dublin district. The Old Old Tale! At the present time when tariff revis on is in evidence and the 'long arm' the Chinese Government is expected to put down provincial abuses, it is interesting to read the following paragraph in the letter of a Peking correspondent to the N. O. Daily News :- There have been lately great many complaints about the way in which the collections of the Peking Native Customs have been carried out by Prince Su's underlings. Many stories, true false, are being told of the blackmailing propensities of the Custom watchers at various gates of the city. Of course foreign owned goods have been exempt from this Paris. He ascended in an airship, and extra squeeze, and many Chinese, who are fortunate enough to have foreign acquaintances, had their goods passed as foreign ship, thus released, hurtled through the air owned. In one case I heard of the native to the ground and dashed the aeronaut and gladry paying one hundred taels to his foreign acquaintance for passing a hundred boxes of glass. A censor has memorialised. the throne denouncing the whole administration, and Prince Su, with the intention probably of forcatalling any steps which might be taken on the memorial, has iraued a proclamation practically admitt-

ing these irregularities and urging the people not to pay more than the regular dues and to insist on a receipt for the amount paid, so that if any overcharge is made a thorough examination can be niade. One cannot help feeling sorry for the Princo in his struggles to honestly administer the ing fair salaries to himself and his employees he thought he might do away to a great extent with the squeezing, but instead it seems to have acted as an incentive to the practice. Then, on the other hand, he has made many ensmies for himself among the The person who can grasp the real idea to high officials who hope to succeed to the office on the expiry of his term; as instead of appropriating the bulk of the taxes to his

> PROMPT ACTION m dealing with what may be only a sligh cough will often avert some more serious

STEARNS' COUGH CURE

own purse, as has been the custom in the

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TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]

A LIBERAL GAIN.

LONDON, 15th May, 1902. The election of an M.P. for Bury, Lancashire, has resulted in the return of the

THE MORGAN STEAMSHIP TRUST.

Possible Opposition.

The President of the Canadian Pacific Railway Campany admits the possibility of

SPAIN.

The Order of the Golden Fleece has been conferred on H.R.H. The Duke of Connaught who is attending the ceremonies at Madrid in connection with the accession of the King of Spain.

GERMANY AND THE UNITED STATES.

The German Emperor has cabled to President Roosevelt offering to present to the city of Washington a statue of His Majesty Frederick the Great in commemoration of Prince Henry's visit to the United States, and President Roosevelt has gratefully accepted the gift.

The growing friendship between Germany and the United States is attracting much attention.

[TIMES-MERCURY SERVICE.]

THE WEST INDIAN DISASTER. LONDON, May 11.

An eye-witness of the destruction of St. Pierre says that the eruption and enguling of the city was like a glimpse of hell, beg-

Several of the other West Indian Islands suffered seriously from the earthquakes

The greatest anxiety is felt here regard-

Lospon, May 13.

The Martinque disaster has caused a has seen all his service in India. In the profound sensation in Great Britain. Much April Army List, Major-General Protyman | anxiety is felt regarding the safety of St. It is probable that a Mansion House

Pretyman appeared in the list of Major. A Times telegram states that St. Pierre Generals removed from the Regiment was destroyed in the twinkling of an eye. (Royal Artillery) and still on the active list. A whirlwind of steam, boiling mud and fire

> THE SHIPPING COMBINE. There is a growing feeling here that the re-enactment of the Navigation Laws is

necessary in order to preserve the British Mercantile Marine. The Liverpool Journal of Commerce states that Mr Pierpont Morgan has concluded an arrangement with the Manchester Ship Canal Company, but that it is not at liberty

to disclose the details at present.

AERONAUT'S AWFUL DEATH. LONDON, May 12. Mr Severo, a member of the parliament of Brazil, has suffered an awful death in when some considerable distance from the ground, the machine exploded. The airthe engineer to atoms. Madame Severo and a number of friends were eye-witnesses of this terrible scene.

[DER OSTASIATISCHE LLOYD SERVICE.] THE VOLCANIC DISASTER.

BERLIN; May 12. The entire north-western part of the Island of Martinique has been destroyed. The emption of the volcano is still going on. The number of the saved inhabitants of St. Pierre is now given as six hundred. No news of volcanic movements are yet reported from the Island of St. Lucia,

which is situated between the other islands, Bernin, May 13;

New craters continue to form on Martinique. The loss of life and goods is steadily increasing. Emperor William was the first sovereign to express to President Loubet his regret and to offer him assistance.

but less elevated.

[A Havas telegram says :- The German Emperor has sent 10,000 marks for the relief of the survivors at Martinique, and King Edward VII has given 25,000 francs for the same purpose. The volcanic oruptions at Martinique are still evident in the north of the island, but their violence has diminished. Showers of cinders continue. Tremblings of the earth in the lesser group of the Antilles islands are causing a panic: among the inhabitants?

surances before these lines reach you.

ship trust, to which the British shipping interests have been submitted; they now acknowledge unreservedly that the position of the German companies is extremely favourable.

THE TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

The Triple-Alliance has been signed; the treaty is exactly the same as the old one. To-morrow, the Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs, Princetti, will make exactly the same statements as Count Golachowski has done, in accordance with an agreement made on the 8th inst. in Vienna. The French efforts to have alterations made have not been successful.

HAVAS SERVICED.

THE FRENCH ELECTIONS. Paids, May 14.

The definite results of the elections in) France are announced as the election of 386 ministorialists, and 201 anti-ministerial-

DESPERATE AFFRAY WITH PIRATES.

Fourteen Pirates Captured.

Nisoro, May 13. On Thursday, the 5th instant, the Go vernment steam launch Yung An had big fight, off the Volcano Islands, with two boats which they had caught in the act of robbing fishing heats. After a long fight lasting over an hour, the homels took both boats and fourteen men prisoners, and brought them into Chinhai for trial, and they all have been condemned to death. Several of the pirates were badly wounded, but none of the crew of the launch was

On the 10th instant, a large junk from Shantung, bound to Ningpo, was boarded by pirates off Lukong in the early morning. and, the lowdah of the junk was shot and his body thrown overboard. The pirates then looted the junk, and took \$1,200 in silver and some of the cargo out of her and then let her go. She came into port during the forenoon, and reported the matter to the officials.

On Saturday afternoon, the 10th instant foor men came into Chinhai and reported to the officials that they belonged to Chinking rice junk, board from Chinkiang to Ningpo, and that when off Lakong they had been taken by pirates and that the junk and remainder of the crew were held for a ransom of \$3,000. Two of the crew were shot, as they offered a strong resistance. Yesterday afternoon, th 12th inst., six pirates were beheaded at Chinhai in front of the Main South Jetty. They were al

beheaded together. Like a flash six sword

fell and six heads dropped. - Mercury.

Band Performance.

Parade Ground from 5 p.m. to 6.39 p.m. on Wednesday next, the 21st instant, (weather permitting) :---

March Rienzi ' Wagner 1 Les Cloches de | Planquite Valse Les Patinours ... Waldteufel Descriptive 'Chinese War March' Michaelis Selection 'The Chieftain' Sullivan "God Save the King."

Gun Practice on the 'Terrible.' In the House of Commans on the 15th ult.. Mr Kearley asked the Secretary to the Admiralty whether Petry Officer Grounds, of H.M.S. Terrible, who ist year accomplished the feat of putting eight hits on the prize-firing target in one minute from a 6 in, quick-liring gun while his ship was steaming past at 12 knots, received any special monetary reward for this skill; and whether, having regard to the fact that the King's prizemen at Bisley obtained a monetary prize of £250 and a gold medal and badge, the Admiralty would consider the advisability of instituting some national prize to be competed for each year by the captains of the guns of His Majesty's Fleet. Mr laby' is a simple number, but full of placed at the disposal of the Captain of phrases to each verse are to be sung to a referred to received his proper share of the truth the embodiment of refined melody, he was the captain. The conditions under should find a place in the repertoire of all Royal Navy are such that it is not con- first favourite. competed for by the Volunteers at Bisley. | and treatment, are both of first-rate quality. tween different ships, to encourage gunners | doubtless attain to recognised places dorin the Navy to obtain proficiency in gun- ing the forthcoming season. mery. There are objections to any attempt to put the gunnery of the Elect on the lines of a military rifle competition.

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REVIEWS.

Ruthven Lang.

A Batch of New Songs. An IRISH MOTHER'S LUIZABY: (No. 1 in F. No. 2 in A Blat.) Words by Mary Elizabeth Blake; music by Margaret

Way?' (Pourquei?) (No. 1 in C, No. in D.) French words by J. Thenard, English version by R. H. Elkin; music by C. Chaminade.

'THE SHOODY-SHOO' ('The See Saw SUNBEAMS' (No. 1 in C, No. 2 in E

by Landon Ronald. 'The Fairest Flower' (La Plus Jolie!)
(No. 1 in C, No. 2 in E Flat.) French words by Robert Myriel, English version by R. H. Elkins, music by C.

Chaminade. 'BUTTERFLY TIME' (No. 1 in E Flat. No. 2 in F.) Words by Ed. Teschemacher; music by Arthur Vernon. IP ALL THE DREAMS WE DREAM, DEAR,

(No. 1 in E Flat, No. 2 in F.) Words Frank Lynes.

In this attractive collection of nine nev songs, just published by Messrs Enoch and Sons, London, we find much that is un- creation of incidents to justify her in doubtedly interesting, and in the cases of remaining where she is. We know the best-known composers, great individuality and charm. In none of them is there the | cially reported a few days, ago that Cosslightest taint of triviality, and I can heartily commend them. It is seldom that the reviewer comes across a portfolio of new music of such all-round excellence as the one just received from the old established house in Great Marlborough Street Of this new music, special mention must be made of C. Chaminade's 'Why?' and 'The Turid an account was given by M. Ver-Fairest Flower.' The words by Thenard estchagin with the simple directness and Myriel or somewhat enigmatical, but that characterises his war pictures. the distinguished features of the music are grace and daintiness, and this alone is a sufficient guarantee of excellence. Both these compositions well morit the attention of vocalists, for the composer, as usual shows considerable versatility and originali ty, the harmonic schemes being bold and manifestly dictated by a wish to suggest the spirit of the text.

An eminently saleable song, which will be heartily welcomed by singers who covet popular applause, is Gerald Lane's 'Harvest.' It is very pleasing, and a vocalist with dramatic perception could make the refrain 'Cometh the Golden Autumntide 'very expressive. Lane's 'Harvest' will certainly bear comparison with any of bases of taxation. We are now to beautiful 'Life's Luilaby '-which, considering their all-round excellence, means

n great deal. In Trotère's 'Sunshine' the blending of scholarship with the attractive elements of taste and expression calls for special remark. This song embraces some of the best work that this able vocalist-composer has yet put out, and it will be admitted words has been caught by the composer according to his ability. Gloomy critics The following is the programme of from the opening distinctly melodious music to be performed by the Band of the subject; continuing throughout inviting 2nd Royal Welch Fusiliers on the new and spontaneous. The composition is a peat specimen of its kind, and should be as welcome in the drawing-room as on the núblic platform.

Landon Ronald has furnished a very melodious song in 'Sunbeams,'-another addition to a host of popular compositions. It partakes of the style and order known amongst singers as "the encore song. and as such there needs be no Fear about

its entire fitness. In 'The Shoogy-Shoo' (Paul Ambrose has taken his words from the Chap Book), partaking of the nature of a lullaby, the refrain has been written to 6/8 time, with a characteristic accompaniment well suited to the idea and nature of the words---

Sweet and low, swinging low, eyes of All my heart is swinging here, swinging

Irish eyes are like the flax and mine are wet with dow. Thinking of the old, old days, upon the buy a new cheque-book, and will not be

shoogy-shoo. It is one of that commendable class of songs which seeks to be understood of the multitude while at the same time not des-

cending to the trivial or commonplace. Margaret Lang's 'An Irish Mother Lul-Arnold-Forster: The sum of £21.15s, was | warmth and tenderness. . The closing H.M.S. Terrible for distribution in prizes for | clever but extremely simple and catching | firing with the 6-in, gan The petty officer accompaniment. This vocal essay is in amount allotted to the gan's crew of which | pure harmony and rich modulation, and

sidered possible, even if were desirable, to | Butterfly time and Hall the dreams recoup himself by the stamp you have institute a prize similar to the King's Prize I we dream, dear,' necessarily varied in style Every effort is made by the offer of money | They have singable melodies, appropriately prizes, and by taking advantage of the accompanied. They are both excellent esprit de corps and rivalry prevailing her types of the modern song, and they will

MUSICUS.

CONSUMPTION, THICH is the most dangerous and fatal disease, has as its first indication a have great pleasure in recommending | persistent cough, and if properly treated as soon as this cough appears is easily cured. consider it one of the best tenies I have | Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has proven wonderfully successful, and gained its wide reputation and extensive sale by its success in curing the diseases which cause coughing. It always cures and cures quickly, General Agents.

LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

London; April 18. The authorised text of the Manchurian Convention fully bears out the (No. 1 in D, No. 2 in F.) Words by the conditions with which it is bedged. Winthrop Packard; music by Paul As the Russians evacuate a district, the tify both opinions. numbers and nature of the Chinese Flat.) Words by R. H. Elkins; music | troops which are to be permitted to occupy it are to be settled by Bussian

advice, while if other Powers obstruct the retirement, or if there be any trouble whatever, the Russians may re-occupy the country. This means that no all, Ursa Mojor has a free hand for the what these incidents are. It was offisack troops had had a brush with Man churian robber bands-Russian casualties, two killed, five slightly wounded. Thirty of the '800 "robbers" survived. This can only mean a repetition of the Blagovestchensk horrors, of which so Russia has not the slightest idea of ever

in reality the day after not at all.

it did not do so with any severity, for though the retail price of sugar rose it lost. This year's budget marks another step in the process of broadening the of all, uncomplainingly shoulders a heavier burden than ever. The small shopkeeper will revert to the barbarous habit of paying his debts in coin on actell us that now we have to pay for our 'mafficking.' Well, what of it? Were the thing to dongain, we should 'maffick' again. The bill must be paid, and indirect taxes, though theoretically imperfect, have the advantage of being the firemen. Mr Mackie, Deputy Captain convenience to the payer than direct. ones. Five-sixths of the money is to be borrowed, so that we cannot say we are putting too large a share of the burden on the present year, and though bread has risen a half-penny to-day, there is no reason why it should. The tax is so small that under the pressure of competition it will find its way to the middlemen, and the price of the loaf will fall tax is an annoying one. A penny is a delightful coin. Twopence is a nuisance, Still it only increases the price when we

remembered as we sign each individual I think it was Mr Henniker Heaton who told the British public how to evade the twopenny registration fee, collapsed inwards with a tremendohs crash and to register a letter for one half- one after the other, and about 12.30 the penny. You put a half penny stamp on the steam roller was brought into use to pull letter and a loose penny stamp inside down the ramaining walls of a dangerous it. The Post Office will take the greatest care of the missive for the sake of the penny (double deficiency) they have which heavy gun firing is conducted in the singers, to whom it will certainly prove a to collect on delivery, while your correspondent, after paying the fine, will enclosed. Similarly, I expect someone under the adverse circumstances. will soon suggest that instead of cheques for amounts under five pounds, we might as well use promissory notes at seven days (which bear a penny stamp only) and antedate them by a week Why not?

> The war is waning. This seems clear from the abundance of special and exclusive information of the most intercontradictory type. Of the halfpenny papers, the virtuous Mail knows that peace prospects are darker than ever, Econstical people are disagreeable, not the Express has undeniable authority | because they have pleased themselves, but for the opposite opinion, while the people.

but will probably throw it away. You will probably have satisfactory as

ROYAL

The Spion Kop papers came out yesopinion I expressed as to its real drift. | terday. They seem to show (1) That | If England and Japan are satisfied with General Buller thought he blundered it, so much the worse for them. Russia in not taking over the command him. 3. . Sunsitive (No. 1 in A Flat, No. 2 in agrees to quit Manchuria by easy stages | self on January 1902, being disatisfied B Flat, No. 3 in D Flat.) Words by during the next eighteen months or so, with the conduct of affairs by Sir Chas, HARVEST' (No. 1 in A Flat, No. 2 in At first sight this seems fairly satisfac. Warren. (2) That Lord Roberts B Flat, No. 3 in C) Words and music tory, but the concession is not merely by Gerald-Lane. (2) That Lord Roberts thought so also. The fact, that Buller 20th CENTURY neutralised but actually contradicted by retained his command while Warren was transferred elsewhere seems to jus-

SERIOUS FIRE IN QUEEN'S

ROAD. Another huge gap was made in Queen's Road during the night, when no fewer than fifteen houses were burned to the ground, question of retirement need be raised the fire being one of the cleanest and costfor a year and a half, that Russia is to liest that has occurred in the Colony have a controlling voice as to the arrange- for some time. The alarm was raised by Rhoda Janet Walker; music by ments of the repossession of the coun-shortly after 1.30, it having broken out, try by China, and, most important of through some unknown cause, on the second floor of No. 192, Wellington Street, immediately behind the Station of the Central Fire Brigade. By the time themen of the brigade got outside, the whole of this house was in a blaze like a furnace. Many wamen and children were shricking and yelling to the firemen to save them, and it is believed that a number of them are burned to death or crushed in thermins. The authorities at the water-works were notified to turn on the water, but notwithstanding this it was found necessary to use sea water pumped from the Herbour by the floating fire engine. Until this was obtained, the firemen had to stand helplessly by-about THE Company's Steamship three-quarters of an hour being wasted. During this time, the fire made transmidous relaxing her grip on Mancharia, and progress, the flames leaded high in the air at Noon. what we have wrung from her is only and caused the Colony to be illuminated for an agreement to do so at the Greek miles around. The efforts of the Brigade, once they got to work, were hampered Kalends, nominally in 18 months, but very much by the dense crowd Chinese and Europeans who had flocked to the scene. Spreading from 192, the Last year's budget was supposed to | flames devoured Nos. 188 and 190, on the hit the working man. As it happened, east side and Nos. 194, 196, and 198 on the west side, and also 178, 180 and 182, Queen's Road Central, also on the west fell again, and the lesson has not been side. Owing to the size great depth the flames had got, the firemen had to fight | their Goods will be delivered from alongagainst heavy odds, and, before they got the mastery of the destructive element. its forerunners,-perhaps excepting the spread taxed jam on taxed bread, and houses Nos. 4, 6, 8 and 10 Kau U Fong, a the very babies with their rice and sago lane at the back of the Wellington Street, will contribute to the revenue, while the also fell victims, and were completely poor income taxpayer, the hardest hit gutted. Nos. 184 and 186 Queen's Road were greatly damaged both by fire and water. It is believed that the total damage exceeds a quarter of a million dollars, and is mostly covered by insurance, although, owing to the count of the twopenny cheque tax, and | day being a holiday, and the insurance | that higher praise cannot be recorded. The yet we seem somehow nearer to the offices being closed, it is impossible to poetic sentiment of Clifton Bingham's time when everyone will pay practically obtain correct details. It is stated that the Commercial Union, China Fire, and

Tung On are heavily implicated, but there are many other companies which hold lines on the properties. About three o'clock the walls of several of the houses fell in, and there were some marvellous escapes on the part of some of the easiest to collect and of causing less in- | Superintendent of Police, who was in charge of the operations, had to fly for his life. The walls of some of the Wellington Street houses fell outwards and did considerable damage to the fire-brigade station. The flames also caught hold of the wood-work on that side of the Station, and, but for the presence of mind of the man in charge, the building would also have been lost. The thick walls of the Globe Hotel (2) feet thick) were the means of stopping the spread of the conagain in a month or two. The cheque | flagration on its western journey, although they broke through in two places and had to tackled by the firemen and the people inside. The true extent of the damage will never be estimated, but there is no doubt that much of the property could have been saved had the water been turned on in the main. We learn that it was turned on to the Wanchai district instead, but this is a matter for investigation. At 10.30 the walls of the Wellington Street houses nature, and this task it accomplished in a manner which was at once satisfactory and a spectacle for all present. Mr Dougherty was in charge of this dangerons

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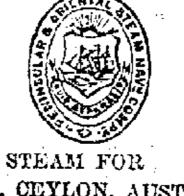
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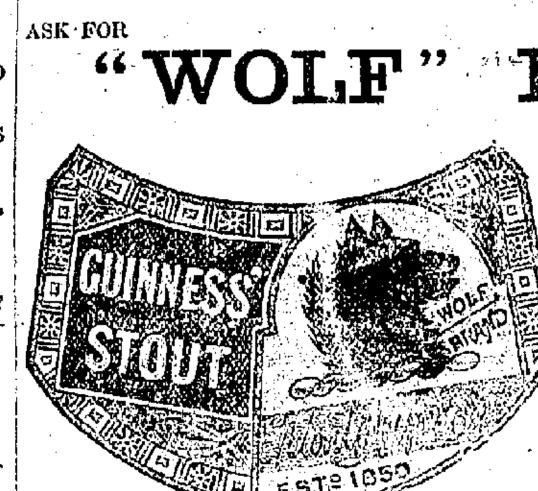
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3		THE CHINA MAIL.	MONDAY, MAY 19, 1902.		
VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONGRONG HOTEL.	ARRIVALS. May 17.	Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour. Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.	Vessels Advertised as Loading.		
Capt. & Mrs Anderson Mr A. Johnston Mr D. W. Andrew Mr and Mrs Joseph, Mr W. S. Bailey E.S.	May 17. Robert Dickinson, British str., 1,331, S. McDonnell, Singapore May 11, Petroleum. —ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.	To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing fi	Destination, Vessels. Agents. Date of Leaving		
Mr B. J. Barlow Mr F. Kieno Comdr. & Mrs C. W.Mr M. F. Laswenstein Bartlett Mr.J. E. Lee	DIESSAUERIES SLAKITIMES.	Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore h., and those in the body of the Shipping midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.	Australian PortsTsinan (s)		
Mrs J. F. Bell Mr A. Marangoni Mr J. V. Bennett Mr W. T. Morlow Dr Beringer Mr Meurer Mr J. Black Mr W. P. Miller Mr C. P. Boland Mr & Mrs Milton Mr C. Bonk Mr H. Mioulet	May 18. Arratoon Apear, British steamer, 2,879, A. Stewart, Calcutta via Straits May 13, General.—David Sassoon, Sons & Co. Triumph, German steamer, 769, Hansen,	2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Whari. 3. From Jardine's Whart to the Harbour's Offica. 4. From Harbour Master's to the Market. 5. From The Market to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 7. From Raval 1 and to Blue Buildings. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kellet's island to North Point. 10. Kowloon Wharves. 11. Jardine's Wharf.	Bremen. &c. Prinz R. Luitpold (s). Melchers & Co. May 28. Havre and Hamburg. Saxonia (s) Hamburg-Am'ka Linie May 21. Havre and Hamburg. Serbia (s) Hamburg-Am'ka Linie June 4. Kobe and Yokohama. Sado Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha May 23. Daylight. Liverpool Achilles (s) Butterfield & Swire. May 20. Liverpool Glaucus (s) Butterfield & Swire. June 15. London Glaucus (s) Butterfield & Swire. May 26.		
Mr E. A. Bonner Mr F. J. Mitchell Mr A. Bourchier Mr and Mrs E. O. Mr F. F. Bovet Murphy D. Bower Mr G. W. Orme Major Buttanshaw Mrs Osborne Mr D. H. Cameron Mr W. Parfitt	Hoiliow May 17, General.—Jessen & Co. Peleus, British str., 4,800, W. Asquith, Glasgow, via Liverpool and Singapore May 13, General.—Butterfield & Swife. Queensland, British str., 2,475, R. A.	Vessels' Names. Steamers. Captain. Flag and Tons Date of Arcival. Consigness or Agents. Destination. Remarks.	London		
Mr W. T. Chapman' Dr W. W. Pearse Dr F. Clark Mr C. Piry Mr G. E. Cole Mr A. J. Pitcher Mr J. S. Colson Mr and Mrs J. H. Dr J. M. Crago Plant & Miss Plant Mrs W. Davis and Mr W. P. Robinson	Quarta, German str., 1,146, H. Johann.	Amara	New York v. Suez Canal Magul (s)		
child Mr H. Santer Ar F. W. Edwards Mr C. Schouw Mr T. I dwards Mr R. Singer Mr W. Einstmann Mr and Mrs R. B. Mc N. G. Evans Simmers Mr H. G. Fisher Mr C. Skott	Co. Loyd, German str., 1,237, Fr. Weidlich, Bangkok May 7, Rice.—Sander, Wieler & Co.	Uarl Diederichsen	Shai and Portland, Or. Indrapura (s)		
Mr W. S. Gibson Mr Snewin Mr C. Glover Mr and Mrs M. J. D. Mr H El Goldsmith Stephens Mr A. W. Grant Mr A. H. Stewart Mr J. Grant Dr J. C. Thomson Mr E. O. Heaps Mr F. W. Thorne Mr G. G. O. HillmannMr G. Thornton	Chelodra, British str., 1,574, R. Cox.	Hailoning Grantenburg British str. 1251 May 14 Shewan, Tomes & Co. Eise. 3 c Ricko Ger str. 903 May 15 Jebson & Co. Foochow. 1 c Smale British str. 1126 May 15 Butterfield & Swire Hailoning Grantenburg Straight Str. 783 May 17 Douglas Steamship Co. Hailoning British str. 783 May 17 Douglas Steamship Co. Hainnin British str. 626 May 16 Douglas Straightin Co. Wilson Do	S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui Daigi Maru (s) Mitsui Bussun Kaisha. June 1. S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui Daijin Maru (s) Mitsui Bussun Kaisha. May 25. S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui. Hailoong (s) Douglas Lapraik & Co. May 20, at 11 a.m. Sydney & Melbourne. Guthrio (s) Gibb, Livingston & Co. May 29, at noon. Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Athenian (s) Canadian P'fic R. Co. May 21. Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Empress of China (s) Canadian P'fic R. Co. June 4.		
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Mr R. Hemmings Mr E. Warder Mr Jewitt. Mr F. Weiss CRABGERUEN.	DEPARTURES. May 18. Robert Dickinson, for Yokobama. Gisela, for Yokobama.	Taishun	Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 80,000 \$ 125 all London, £63 National Pank of China, Limited 19,970 £ 10 £ 8 \$27, buyers Do. Founders' shares 750 £ 10 £ 8 \$27, buyers MARINE INSURANCES.		
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Mrs N. Clausen Mr & Mrs Flattring Mr & Mrs Edmunds, Mr Riddoch and child Mrs K. Ribbelmund, Mr A. Fair and child Mr F. Hubbe Mr A. G. Roberts Mr Hoffmeister Lieut, and Mrs Sim-	Waterwitch, British surveying ship; for Shantong.	STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. [SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.] Strasslang. Tudous, April 22; Siam, Hermiston, 25; Radionshire, Steator, May 2, Conton, Hembura, Malta Shanahai Tana. Conton, Hembura, Malta Shanahai Tana. China Coast Meteorological Register. China Coast Meteorological Register. 16th May.—AT 4 P.M. 16th May.—AT 4 P.M. In London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by many of an analysis of observations taken by many of an analysis.	S. C. Farnham, Boyd & Co. Ld 55,700 Tls. 100 Tls. 2573, buyers stransports, rugs, rrc, China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld 20,000 \$ 50 \$ 50 \$ 5 mominal plans Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 \$ 50 all \$434		
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Col. Hughes Hearstron.—Correspondence can be registered for all Private Ship mails up to tifteen minutes before the time for closing; for the Shanghai or Japan contract mails up to a guar-	Per Anping Maru, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 20th May. For AMOY, SAMARANG & SOURABAYA— Per Shantung, at 4 p.m., on Tuesday, the 20th May.	for Japan and Hongkong on the 6th heit May. The B. L. steamer Richmond Costle left New York on the 35th Aptil. New York on the 35th Aptil. Temperature. 2 Transparature in the rivde, in degree Fabrench heit 3 Homorry, in percentage of saturation, the hand-dity of air saturated with moisture being 100. 4 Denerios of Wiso, according to Beaufort Scale. 5 Force of Wiso, according to Beaufort Scale. 6 Stars of Wearmen, b blue sky, c detached clouds, d delegating rain. f for a gloomy heid Libertrium at the first inc. a cloudy to be a continued to the continued of the continue	Tebrau Planting Company, Ltd		
ter of an hour before; for mails for Europe, America, and Canada, &c., up to an hour before; for Indian, Northern Pacific, and Torres Straits mails up to half an hour before Letters, &c., for the Penk will be delivered by	YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA, B.C. & VANCOUVER.— Per Athenium, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 21st May. For MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VIC.	The B. L. steamer Hilleden left New York on the 13th May. The N. P. Co.'s s.s. O'umpia sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 15th May. The I5th May. The I5th May. The B. L. steamer Hilleden left New York overcast, p passing showers, q squally, r rain, s snow, t thunder, s visibility, its dew (wet). The Rain, in inchase tenth and bundsed the Do. The Back in Inchase tenth and bundsed the Do. The Rain, in inchase tenth and bundsed the Do. The Back in Inchase tenth and bundsed the Do. The Rain in Inchase tenth and bund	International Cotton Manufactur- ing Co., Ltd. 10,000 Tis. 100 Tis100 Tis. 40, sales 1 acu-Kung-Mew Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd. Say Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd. Chin. Provident Loan Mortgage 50,000 Tis. 500 Tis. 150		
pendence and Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.80 n.m. or 3 p.m. With regard to letters from the Peak, Pillar boxes have been placed at Magazine Gap, Victoria Gap, Mount Kellett, Mount Gough, and Plantation Road, which will be cleared at	Per Kaga Maru, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 22nd May. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.	Latest Advices. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Chusan left Singapore for this port on the 18th May at noon, with the outward English. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Chusan left Singapore for this port on the 18th May at noon, with the outward English. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Chusan left Singapore fulls, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Scres of all kinds the chiefs of Clarke's Blood Mixture are marvellous.	Co., Ld		
Letters, parcels, &c., for Kowloon Point and Steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the	will be despatched on SAURDAY, the 24th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements	the Imp. German Muil s.s. Hamburg car. rying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 29th April, left Co- lombo on Saturday afternoon, the 17th where at 2s. 9d. per bottle. Beware of worth- less imitations and substitutes. E24 New Benares, cash,	Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Ld 20,000 \$ 50 \$ 500 \$500, sellers 200 \$ 500 \$ 500 \$500, Nom.		
Police Compound outside the Charge Room up to 12 and 4 o'clock, and in the Pillar Box at the Wharf. Local Rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of lotters from Kowloon are re- quested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped zeross them. Covers containing Bank Notes. &c., should be registered. No	Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Registration at 10 a.m. (Registration, with late fee of 10 cents ip to 10.45 a.m.) Letters at 11 a.m. Late Letters 11.10 to 11.30 a.m. Extra	about Wednesday, the 28th May. I.—Sam Tsz King. II.—Ts'in Tsz Man. the 18th May, and may be expected here on Sunday, the 18th May, and may be expected here on Friday, the 23rd May. II.—Ts'in Tsz Man. Translated into English by Dr. E. J. EITEL Allowance Taels,	Chinese Imperial 1886 g.Tis. 767,200 Tls. 250.7 % p. annum 10 % prem. VERNON, and SMYTH, Share-brokers,		
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